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160 acres Mississippi river bottom land, 8 miles below Hickman, near State Line on Tenn. side. Well fenced, five room dwelling house, barn, outhouses, well, etc. 40 acres in cultivation, 40 acres four-years old deadened. Raises from 80 to 100 bushels of corn and from 1,500 to 1,800 pounds cotton. At least \$2,000 worth of timber on place. For investment or home, this is worth serious consideration. If sold at all, deal must be made before Aug. 25. The price is less than \$16 an acre. Where can you beat it? Information on request. Hickman Courier Realty Co.

Hickman Lodge 761 F. & A. M.

Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A. M., will meet in regular communication next Monday night at 7:30. Visiting brothers cordially invited. C. P. SHUMATE, Master. H. N. COWGILL, Sec'y.

Work in E. A. and F. C. Degrees

No. 39—170 acres fine, well improved land, little over a mile east of this city, for sale at a bargain. Has 5-room dwelling, new barn, outbuilding, etc. This farm will bear close inspection from one end to the other. Adjoining farm sold last year for \$80 an acre. We will make you this place for about half the price of the adjoining farm, if you get busy.—Hickman Courier Realty Co.

Shooting at Pilot Oak.

Otto Henley shot and perhaps fatally wounded Stanley Jones about 11 o'clock Saturday night at the home of Jess Coleman. Mr. Coleman gave an ice cream festival to a crowd of his young friends and after the supper was over and the guests were departing young Jones was seated in his buggy in front of the house when Henley, whom it is said, was slightly intoxicated, approached the buggy and seizing the wheel gave the vehicle a shake, Jones warned him not to do so again, which he immediately did. Jones drew his revolver and shot Henley twice, one ball entered his right shoulder and the other his right side.

Dr. Whitehead, of this city, attended the young man and dressed his wounds; he is said to be resting well today and will probably recover. No arrests were made.—Fulton Leader.

Will Make Few Speeches.

An authentic outline of Bryan's campaign plans has been learned. He will make a few prepared speeches at central points and nearly all of those will be made before the first of October. During the month of October he will remain at home and give out interviews and signed articles. Campaign contributions gathered from Democratic newspapers continue to roll in, and have assumed considerable proportions.

W. E. Smith will give a barbecue and bran dance tomorrow at Tyler's landing on No. 8 Island. He will run a free ferry from 8 a. m. to 3 p. m. from No. 8 chute on Kentucky side and Three States, Dry Bayou and Hickerson on the Missouri side to Tyler's Landing. An experienced hand will prepare the meats. Excellent music for dancing.

We take great pains to furnish our patrons COLD and REFRESHING drinks at our FOUNTAIN.

"Wing's Fruit Ice Cream"

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COWGILL'S DRUG STORE, Inc.

Don't Make Good Husbands.

Stephen Lauzanne, the noted French journalist, said to an interviewer in New York:

"The American husband is, in my opinion, the worst instead of the best husband in the world. He neglects his wife; he regards all her tastes, her reading, her dress, her ideas, as childish and ludicrous; though a stupid dolt beside her, he deems himself immeasurably her superior. What a mistake!

"In fact," concluded M. Lauzanne, "the American husband resembles the real husband as Policeman X resembles a real hero.

"While bathing the other day a boy got beyond his depth. Policeman X watched him drowning from the pier. Another boy ran up, and the policeman said to him:

"Can you swim, my lad?"

"Yes, sir," said the boy.

"Then save that poor fellow," said the policeman, and with great presence of mind he tossed the newcomer far out into the water.

"The rescue being successful, the policeman, I believe, applied for one of your Carnegie medals."

TARPON FISHING FROM PIER.

The tarpon at Egmont Key have been crowding around the wharves the last few weeks in great numbers, striking minnows and churning up the waters furiously.

There has been much fishing for them from the piers. The result is a tremendous struggle when the tarpon strikes the bait and then strikes out on a beeline for Honduras to see if the sportsman can stay on the pier until an assistant can take him off in a boat.

In the great majority of cases he can't and the fun of witnessing the effort is immense. Everybody gets strikes, sometimes several at once, and the slaughter of tackle is great.—St. Petersburg Times.

BIRDS OBJECTED TO GAY HAT.

While walking in the suburban districts recently with a friend Miss Nettie Williams of Pittsburgh was the object of an unusual attack. She wore a hat with a bird of brilliant plumage as an ornament. Suddenly her head became encircled by half a dozen blackbirds, which pecked at the bird in her hat, tearing out the bright colored feathers with their beaks.

The blackbirds even flew in her face and lacerated the skin with their bills. Tearing the hat from her head, Miss Williams threw it on the ground. Her escort was obliged to use his coat to beat the birds off.—Altoona correspondence Philadelphia Record.

HER KIND OF HAMMOCK.

"I would like to look at some hammocks, please," said the pretty girl who was doing a shopping stunt. "I'm afraid we haven't anything in stock that will suit you," replied the clerk.

"How do you know what would suit me?" she asked, in surprise.

"Oh," explained the knowing salesman, "a pretty girl always wants a hammock that is only large enough for one and strong enough for two."

UNDER A STRAIN.

"But," asked Miss Mattie Nay, "did you never have stage fright?"

"Only once," replied the actor, "and that was before an audience of only five or six people."

"My! Where was that?"

"Out west. You see, the audience informed us that if our show didn't suit them they'd fill us full of holes."

WOUNDED PRIDE.

"He referred to us as mushroom aristocracy," said the indignant daughter.

"Discharge the chef," answered the equally indignant mother. "I told him to use truffles."

HIS TIME TAKEN UP.

"In a little while you will be able to talk with the people on Mars," said the scientist.

"What's the use?" asked the busy citizen. "I haven't time to listen to all the funny stories and political gossip on this planet."

NOT A SPANKER.

"What do you do when your little boy disobeys you?"

"I administer a stern rebuke."

"But I don't believe in corporal punishment."—Houston Post.

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William Jennings Bryan

The Great Commoner, the Democratic candidate for the Presidency of the United States, tells in ten (10) records just issued by the Victor Talking Machine Co., his views of the Democratic platform, the Ideal Republic, the Trust, Tariff and Labor questions, and also touches on many points of particular and timely interest.

These Records were made at Lincoln, Neb., on July 21st, of this year, after the adjournment of the Democratic Convention, and consist of the following:

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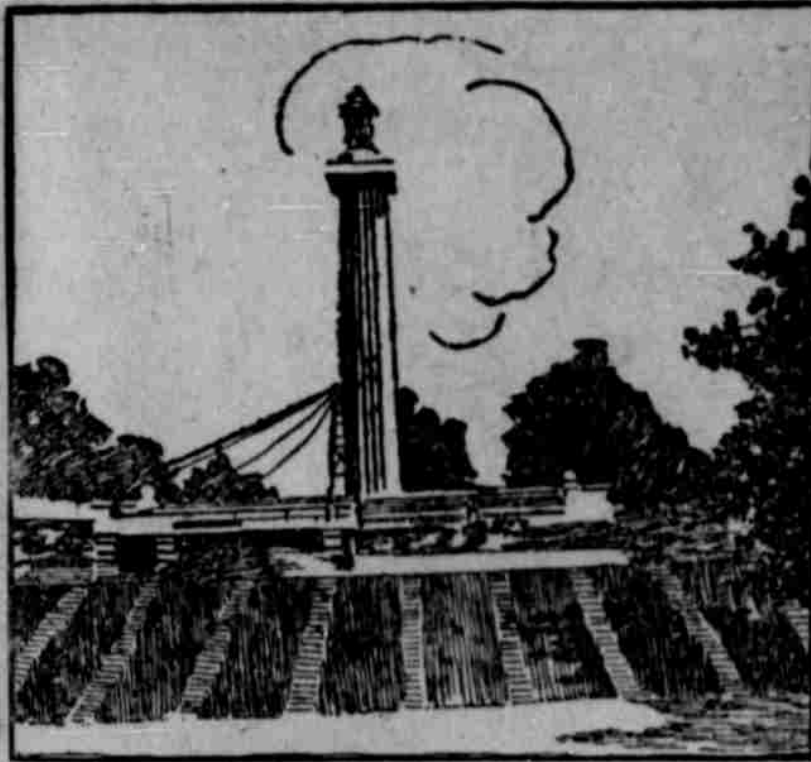
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TRIBUTE TO AMERICAN PATRIOTS



The Monument to America's Prison Ship Martyrs, Unveiled July 4 at Fort Greene Park, Brooklyn.

On Independence day a great national monument was unveiled in Fort Greene park, Brooklyn, to commemorate the death of the 12,000 Yankee soldiers who gave their lives for their country in the prison ships of the British anchored in New York harbor.

The monument which has cost \$200,000, is of the simplest design. It is a beautiful column of white granite of doric design 145 feet high and surmounted by a massive urn. The column stands in the center of a plaza 325 feet square, which is approached by a wide sweep of terraced steps.

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We should be glad to have you experience some of our examples of Good Drug Store Keeping.

Ferry Changes Hands.

G. L. Carpenter, who has been running the ferry between Hickman and Dorena, Mo., for several months, sold the business to R. H. Kirk Monday. The ferry equipment includes the towboat "Sunflower," the gasoline launch "Hazel" and the barge used for transporting livestock, vehicles, etc.

While the ferry business at this season is a little light, except the passenger service, taken the whole year through it amounts to quite an item. If Mr. Kirk gives us as good service as Mr. Carpenter did—we believe he will—there will be no kick coming on the part of his patrons.

Don't Grumble.

When your joints ache and you feel from Rheumatism, Buy a bottle of Doan's Backache Kidney Pills. It is a positive cure for Rheumatism, Gravel, Contractions, Stomach, Nerve, Head, etc. Dr. J. C. Doan, a prominent physician at Waco, Texas, says that he has found Doan's Backache Kidney Pills the best all round remedy he ever used. Sold by Cowgill's Drug Store, Inc., Helm & Ellison.

New Kind of Pest.

Elliott Sloas, a successful farmer living six miles below our city, was on our streets Saturday and reported his corn fields infested with a new kind of pest, which for want of a name he calls greenbugs. It is a green insect about as large as a fallo gnat, which take up their quarters on the corn silk and eat it up with the result that rain water enters the ear, causing the grain to rot. The blackbirds are very fond of the little green fellows and eat them eagerly, which has largely protected the growing crop.—New Market Record.

Tom White Heard From.

Tom D. White, who left his home and family near Harmony on the ninth of April, and seemed to have disappeared off the face of the earth, has at last been heard from. His brother near Cayce got a letter from him the first of the week, written two weeks ago and mailed at Honolulu. In this letter, Tom White complains that he went direct to Chicago after leaving home and from there to Denver. Two weeks after he left here he was enlisted in the U. S. navy and soon afterwards sailed from San Francisco with the American fleet on its cruise around the world.

So far as we know he doesn't give his reasons for leaving home.—Many people will be relieved to know that he is still alive and unharmed as some feared. The term of enlistment in the navy, we believe is four years and though he may leave to come home if he asks for it will doubtless serve out his term of enlistment.—Clinton Gazette.

Rush Creek.

Prof. Suggs and family visit friends here last week.

Miss Clara Landrum, of Macon, is visiting her cousin, Miss Emma Adams.

Tyler Davis and Erroll McGee called on ladies near Clinton Saturday week.

Miss Marguerite Fowler, of Decatur, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. B. McGee.

Several of the neighbors of our community are enjoying the pleasures of camping at the Half-Pond this week.

Bro. Bransford gave his congregation, Rush Creek, Cayce, Ebenezer churches, a picnic at Rush Creek bridge, two weeks ago, in spite of the dust and excessive warm weather it was a source of much enjoyment.

It is so very dry that it is doubtful if we have a full crop of cotton year, and

There would be a sort of sweet relief to read—and listen to a gentle rain. It would seem that Jupiter was angry. All of his hydrants on us that were willing.

To spread our feathers, stand and let what a joyous earth again would mean. Indeed it is true, and say it I will. That mud is preferable to not, dry weather.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, so that it not reach the seat of the disease. It is a blood or constitutional disease, in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best blood purifiers, and directly on the mucous surfaces. The first combination of the two ingredients what produces such wonderful results curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials. F. J. GIBNEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, or by mail, The Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

The first National Bank of the City, believes in whooping up the local papers last week.